Montgomery County 2009 Federal Priorities

Listed below are federal policy and funding priorities presented by Montgomery County to our Congressional delegation for consideration during 2009. Specific information about each item may be obtained by contacting Montgomery County's Office of Intergovernmental Relations (sara.morningstar@montgomerycountymd.gov).

Correction and Rehabilitation

- State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (SCAAP)
- Re-entry Employment Program

Economic Development

- East County Science and Technology Center
- Maryland Technology Development Center Innovation Accelerator and Maryland Bioscience Center
- Wheaton Town Center Redevelopment Project
- Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Consolidation at White Oak

Environmental Protection

- Northwest Branch, Anacostia River, Maryland
- Great Seneca Creek and Muddy Branch Watershed Feasibility Study
- Anacostia River Watershed Feasibility Study/Comprehensive Plan

Fire and Rescue Services

- Fire Act Grants
- SAFER Grant Program
- Maryland Task Force One, Urban Search and Rescue Task Force

Glen Echo Park

• Glen Echo Park Partnership for Arts and Culture, Inc. Concession Agreement

Health and Human Services

- Montgomery County Community Health Improvement Process
- Montgomery Cares: Clinic Eligibility Social Workers
- Up County Youth Opportunity Center (Anti-Gang Initiative)
- Kennedy High School Cluster Project Request for "Linkages to Learning" in Elementary and Middle Project Schools

Health and Human Services (continued)

- Kennedy High School Cluster Project Universal Pre-Kindergarten to Improve Academic Achievement
- Economic Emergency Response Team
- Child Care in Public Space
- Voluntary Income Tax Assistance
- Head Start
- Revision of Medically Underserved Area, Medically Underserved Population and Health Personnel Shortage Area Designation Criteria

Housing Opportunities Commission

- Public Housing Renovation
- Affordable Housing Renovation

Housing and Community Development

- Weatherization Assistance Program
- Low Income Housing Tax Credit Program
- Housing Choice Voucher Program

Montgomery College

Biotechnology Project and Health Sciences Equipment

Montgomery County Public Schools

- Medicaid Funding and IDEA
- Kennedy High School Cluster Project
- Middle School Magnet Consortium
- Transition of Scientists from Laboratories to MCPS Classrooms

Public Safety

- Counter-Terrorism Intelligence Initiative: Information Analysis, Exchange Prevention Action
- Public Safety Communications System (PSCS) Modernization Communications Interoperability
- Montgomery County Family Justice Center

Technology Services

- Public, educational, and government access (PEG) Cable Fee Revision
- Broadband Deployment

Transportation

- Advanced Transportation Management System (ATMS)
- Traffic Signal System Modernization Project
- Maryland Department of Transportation/WMATA Projects
- Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC)-Bethesda Transportation Update
- SAFETEA-LU Reauthorization